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In re the Application of

: Steven M. H. WALLMAN

Group Art Unit

: 3694

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: 10/627,626

Examiner

: Daniel Lawson Greene

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For

: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ENABLING

INDIVIDUAL OR SMALLER INVESTORS OR OTHERS TO CREATE AND MANAGE A PORTFOLIO OF SECURITIES

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